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For: **USE OF SALTS OF LAYERED DOUBLE HYDROXIDES**

RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 4, 2008, please reconsider the subject application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to claims begin on page 2 of this paper

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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